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NO.TRA-5874/1/Pol-8,
Home Department, Mantraiaya,
Mumbai - 400 032.
Dated :- 7th February,2002.

To,
Joint Commissioner of Police (Traffic)
Worli, Mumbai - 25.

Subject :- Issue of Protocol Badge.

Reference :- Your D.O.Letter No. 267/ACP/T/2001 Dated 26.12.2001.

Keeping the spirit of the Government, Home Department Circular No.TRA 5874/1/Pol-8, dated 6th September, 1979, which laid down the eligibility for issue of protocol badges, the following additional guidelines are issued.

(a) The basic eligibility of the 6 categories indicated in the said Government Circular dated 6th September, 1979, be accepted,

(b) Following categories may be included in expansion of the existing categories keeping the spirit of the Government Circular dated 6th September ,1979,

(i) officers equivalent to the Secretaries and above of State Government. List of such officers may be obtained from G.A.D.;

(ii) all Chairmen of the Public Sector Undertakings, Commissions, etc. with headquarters in Mumbai, who are given the status of Minister or Minister of State;

(iii) Chairmen/Members of Statutory Commissions.

(iv) Additional Solicitor General.

The above will be in addition to the following who are already eligible for issue of protocol badges:

(1) Judges of the High Court, Mumbai.
(2) Secretaries to the Government of Maharashtra.
(3) Secretary to the Chief Minister.
(4) Sheriff of Mumbai.
(5) Mayor of Mumbai.
(6) MLAs/MLCs. and M.Ps. of the State on demand.

All eligible categories of persons will be entitled for issue of protocol badge cor one personal car owned by him/her. But all M.L.As/M.L.Cs and M.Ps of the state will be entitled his/her personal car or the car suggested by him. He/she will have to make an application in

the prescribed format in which details like registration number of the vehicle, name of the owner, etc. will have to be given.

The Sticker may be prepared with appropriate unique identity features and may be price keeping the cost of preparation of such stickers in mind.

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